

(Order), in the above-docketed proceeding.

The Commission's June 25, 1998 Order granted the request for blanket approval under Part 34, subject to the conditions found in Ordering Paragraphs (G), (H), and (J):

(G) Within 30 days of the date of this order any person desiring to be heard or to protest the Commission's blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities by Duke New Smyrna should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214.

(H) Absent a request to be heard within the period set forth in Ordering Paragraph (G) above, Duke New Smyrna is hereby authorized to issue securities and assume obligations and liabilities as guarantor, indorser, surety or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issue or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Duke New Smyrna, compatible with the public interest, and reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

(J) The Commission reserves the right to modify this order to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued Commission approval of Duke New Smyrna's issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities * * *

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is July 27, 1998.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

David P. Boergers,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT98-69-000]

East Tennessee Natural Gas Company; Notice of Refund Report

June 30, 1998.

Take notice that on June 26, 1998, East Tennessee Natural Gas Company

(East Tennessee) filed a refund report pursuant to Ordering Paragraph (c) of the Commission's February 22, 1995, order in Gas Research Institute (GRI), Docket No. RP95-124-000.

East Tennessee states that East Tennessee received a refund from GRI in the amount of \$225,767.

East Tennessee states that it has these refunded amounts to firm transportation customers that received nondiscounted service during 1997 by adjustments to their June invoices.

East Tennessee states that copies of this filing have been mailed to each of East Tennessee's customers and interested state commissions.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed on or before July 7, 1998. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

David P. Boergers,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. GT98-65-000]

El Paso Natural Gas Company; Notice of Report of GRI Refunds

June 30, 1998.

Take notice that on June 26, 1998, El Paso Natural Gas Company (El Paso) submitted its Report of Gas Research Institute (GRI) Refunds for 1997 pursuant to Subpart F of Part 154 of the Commission's Regulations and ordering paragraph (C) of the Commission's order issued on February 22, 1995 at Docket No. RP95-124-000.

On May 29, 1998, El Paso received a refund from GRI for overcollections for the calendar year 1997 in the amount of \$435,572.00. On June 11, 1998, El Paso states that it refunded its eligible firm

shippers as required by the February 22, 1995 order by crediting each shipper's applicable transportation invoice.

Any person desiring to be heard or to protest this filing should file a motion to intervene or a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Sections 385.214 and 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such motions or protests must be filed on or before July 7, 1998. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Any person wishing to become a party must file a motion to intervene. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public inspection in the Public Reference Room.

David P. Boergers,
Acting Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RP97-287-019]

El Paso Natural Gas Company; Notice of Compliance Filing

June 30, 1998.

Take notice that on June 26, 1998, El Paso Natural Gas Company (El Paso) tendered for filing a Letter Agreement between El Paso and Dynegy Marketing and Trade, formerly Natural Gas Clearinghouse.

El Paso states that the Letter Agreement is being filed to comply with the Commission's order issued June 11, 1998 at Docket Nos. RP97-287-010 *et al.* and is proposed to become effective on that date.

Any person desiring to protest this filing should file a protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, in accordance with Section 385.211 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All such protests must be filed as provided in Section 154.210 of the Commission's Regulations. Protests will be considered by the Commission in determining the appropriate action to be taken, but will not serve to make protestants parties to the proceedings. Copies of this filing are on file with the Commission and are available for public